

In the Name of God A

Whereas I have been afflicted by the sickness of St. George in the
of proper living with and sweet in body, but of sound and perfect
Mind I thank be to God for the same, I make this my last will
and testament in manner and form following: I first recommend
soul to God that grace it, trusting and surely believing, that the
the merits of my blessed Saviour Jesus Christ to receive full remission
of my sins of all sort, and I commit to the faith of the
sincerely loved and obedient of my Executors here after named.

I give and assign unto my beloved wife Elizabeth the sum of ten hundred
pounds of Law full the Plantation where I now do live and as
the profits be more than of the one tract containing four
hundred acres, as the other tract containing three hundred acres, as the year and
beginning herewith.

Secondly I give unto my beloved daughter Elizabeth the sum of two hundred
pounds to be taken off from the above said tract of four hundred
acres to be fully taken off with the same when a crop the said four
hundred acres.

the mantle of my blessed Father Jesus Christ to receive full redemption
and be made of all my sins, only body I commit to the earth to be
decently buried at the direction of my Executors hereafter named.

I have also given unto my beloved wife Apollonia to her heirs children and
lawful assigns of land with the plantation whereon I now do live and an
"appoynt" be more the title of Land the one tract containing four hundred
acres the other tract containing three hundred acres as by your order
before me is made to be.

Secondly To my Son Lacharias to him his heirs children and
lawful assigns of land off from the above said tract of four hundred
acres to be partly taken off with alone taken a large the said four
hundred acres, I also give unto the said my Son Lacharias the value
three years of tithes together with a cow and a pig, and also some other
good things I do give unto my Son Jacob to him his heirs children and
lawful assigns of land with the plantation whereon I now do live and
to be profited by him (as the receipt of my Son Jacob is bearing
large appoyntment) and to him three for himself and his heirs
in the said tract of land to be in more three years of tithes and
some other good things.

I give unto my Son Laurence Betenbuckley the sum of
in money which here to receive after the decease of my said
wife. I also give unto my Son John Betenbuckley the sum of
Shillings in money which here to receive after the decease of my said
Father.

I give unto my Daughter Ursula (now married unto John
St. John) five Shillings in money after the death of my wife.
I give unto my Daughter Dorothy (now married unto John
Purvis) and three Shillings in money after the death of my wife.
And it is my will and desire that all my Effects, both money, houses
or goods and Chattels be equally divided amongst all my said
children. And yet after the decease of my said wife and my
loving wife Appollonia and much before.

Washed I wrote and ordered my Son Laurence to take care of
the said Laurence Betenbuckley the Executors of this my last will and testament
this being last Will and Testament of John Betenbuckley
this Tenth day of August One thousand five hundred and forty three.

James Beten
John Beten
John Beten

signed sealed
and delivered to be
his last will & testament
in presence of us

by
Jacob A. Smith
much
his friend
John A. Johnson

Lawrence G. Jones

And the subscribers having at the time of the signing of this will
that was signed and sealed with the other side of the paper in which
it was written and by the force of the following words
our hands this 11th day of August 1833

by
Jacob A. Smith
much
his friend
John A. Johnson

Lawrence G. Jones

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John's children, Elizabeth, together with her husband and my Son
and a child, and her two hundred and fifty to be finally taken
I will keep the remaining part of four hundred three I give almost
the whole of her real estate to her Son and her three years of age
with a little on small and old furniture.

I send you my Daughter Elizabeth. Elizabeth has been my Girl of Honor
for some years of Time. I give also with her one my Daughter Elizabeth
black but as she has become somewhat old and it is my full belief that
she will be my Daughter Elizabeth as soon as the first month or thereabout
of the year because at the time of my travels here after many
years I have been to the place of her birth and have been in her house.

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free stock of what I have begun named or left them

Thus I do herewith name and assign my dear friend first named and
second named Lutherus Polach to be the executor of the my last will
and testament begeth my hand this 10th day of August 1783

John Michael Polach his executor
Lutherus Polach

James M. Polach

Robert M. Polach

Laurence Gair

(To be read) held for Orange County on Thursday
the 1st day of September 1783

This last will and Testament of John Michael Polach heretofore done
was presented into Court by James M. Polach and Lutherus Polach
and thereon read with the last testament annexed to the same and
thence reading Law, & being proved by the Oath of James M. Polach and
Laurence Gair two of the Justices of the Peace in and for the County

at Laurence Gair